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DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)				U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)	
CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371				<b>10/5</b> 50659	
NTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/DE 2004/002128			INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE SEPTEMBER 9, 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED OCTOBER 17, 2003	
TITLE OF INVENTION					
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1.	Ø	This is a FIRST submission of iter	ns concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 3	371.	
2.		This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.			
3.	Ø	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (24) indicated below.			
4.	$\boxtimes$	The US has been elected (Article 31).			
5.	$\boxtimes$	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))			
		a.   is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).			
		b. ⊠ has been communicated by the International Bureau.			
	c.  is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).				
6.	$\boxtimes$	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).			
		a.   is attached hereto.			
		b.  has been previously sub	mitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).		
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8.		An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).			
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10.		An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).			
11.		A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409).			
12.	$\boxtimes$	A copy of the International Search	Report (PCT/ISA/210).		
lte	ems 1	3 to 23 below concern document	(s) or information included:		
13.	$\boxtimes$	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.			
14.	$\boxtimes$	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.			
15.	$\boxtimes$	A FIRST preliminary amendment.			
16.		A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.			
17.		A substitute specification.			
18.		A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.			
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21.		A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).			
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## September 25, 2005

## **DECLARATION**

The undersigned, Dana Scruggs, having an office at 8902B Otis Avenue, Suite 204B, Indianapolis, Indiana 46216, hereby states that she is well acquainted with both the English and German languages and that the attached is a true translation to the best of her knowledge and ability of PCT/DE 2004/002128 (INV.: ROEHM, H.).

The undersigned further declares that the above statement is true; and further, that this statement was made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or document or any patent resulting therefrom.

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